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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 12, 2007, Applicants request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Included with this response is a petition for a three-month extension of time and requisite fee.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2. Remarks begin on page 10.